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SUBJ: PORTUGAL-USSR AIRLINE NEGOTIATIONS

1. LISBON PRESS REPORTS THAT PORTUGUESE GOVERNMENT AND RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR HAVE AGREED TO IMMEDIATE COMMENCEMENT OF NEGOTIATIONS TO ESTABLISH REGULAR AIR CONNECTIONS BETWEEN PORTUGAL AND USSR.

2. COMMENT: THIS IS FIRST NEWS OTHER THAN RUMOR WE HAVE HAD ABOUT EAST EUROPEANS' ESTABLISHING CIVIL AIR TIES WITH PORTUGAL. LAST WEEK SOURCE IN DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF CIVIL AERONAUTICS (DGAC) SAID NO SUCH FEELERS HAD BEEN MADE THROUGH THAT OFFICE. ANOTHER CIVIL AIR SOURCE--NON-GOVERNMENT--INFORMED US AUGUST 26 ON GOOD AUTHORITY THAT DGAC WAS BYPASSED AND CONVERSATIONS WITH USSR WERE HANDLED ON A HIGHER LEVEL.

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